



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2005 Assembly Bill 722

**Assembly
Amendments 1 and 2**

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Assembly Bill 722 states that no pharmacy that is in another state may ship, mail, or otherwise deliver a prescribed drug or device to persons in Wisconsin unless the pharmacy is licensed under the requirements of the bill. One of the requirements is that a pharmacy licensed under the bill must provide a toll-free telephone number that allows a person in Wisconsin to contact the pharmacy during the pharmacy's regular hours of business and that is available for not less than 40 hours per week.

Assembly Amendment 1 retains the requirement that a pharmacy licensed under the bill must provide a telephone number that allows persons in Wisconsin to contact the pharmacy during regular business hours, but deletes the requirement that the telephone number be "toll-free."

Assembly Amendment 2 specifies that the biennial renewal fee for out-of-state pharmacy licenses is the same as for in-state pharmacy licenses, namely \$56 per biennium.

Legislative History

On January 17, 2006, the Assembly Committee on Health recommended adoption of Assembly Amendment 1 by a vote of Ayes, 8; Noes, 3; adoption of Assembly Amendment 2 by a vote of Ayes, 11; Noes, 0; and passage of the bill as amended by a vote of Ayes, 11; Noes, 0. On January 31, 2006, the Assembly adopted Assembly Amendments 1 and 2, and passed the bill as amended, all by voice votes.

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